

From Now till Christmas

This will be a Busy Store

The closer Christmas draws near the busier it will become. We have provided this year for more than our usual share of Christmas business, for the great increasing trade of preceding seasons was an expression of confidence which this store cannot, and does not, fail to appreciate. In all these immense Christmas stocks this is the largest and most carefully selected we have ever had, and it is a satisfaction to us, as it will be to you, to know that the goods are all new and up-to-date and such exceptionally good values are offered that the Christmas day had never a greater measure of money's worth offered it.

If you haven't started to make your selections do so today.

Our Stock Consists of the following

Men's and Boys Suits and Overcoats
Hats Caps Mitts
Mocha and Wool Gloves
Sweaters Knitted Jackets
Silk and Wool Mufflers
Silk Suspenders
Fine Shirts
Cashmere and Wool Sox
Silk Handkerchiefs

A good assortment of Men's and Boy's Silk Ties
Watches, 7, 15, and 17 Jewel
Elgin Cuff Links
Collar Buttons, Watch Chains
Fobs, Stick Pins
Brooches Emblem Pins
Fancy slippers for Men and Women
Fine Shoes
Felt Shoes Hockey Shoes
Rubbers Overshoes, Etc.

We invite you to call at our Store and see the above mentioned goods before you purchase your Christmas gifts. Kindly remember they are all new and up-to-date.

J. V. BERSCHT
THE OUTFITTER

MILLINERY SALE

We will sell the balance of our stock of

LADIES HATS

25 per cent off for cash

Butter and Eggs as Cash

GEO. PETERS

BILL BAILEY

Wishes All A

MERRY CHRISTMAS

CALL AND SEE MY

New Stock of Fruits

Jap Oranges Apples, Grapes,

Bananas, Candy, Nuts, Etc.

EVERYTHING FIRST-CLASS

At a Very Low Price

A CAR OF SALT JUST ARRIVED

AROUND THE TOWN

Skates sharpened at the Sash & Door Factory, 20 cents.

A skating party of about twenty Carstairs young people visited the Didsbury skating rink on Tuesday evening.

WANTED—Teacher wanted for Grand Centre school. Apply to T. A. White, Sec.-Treas., Didsbury.

FORRENT—A good basement with concrete walls and floor, frost proof. Apply to H. L. Craig, Olds.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Two in family. Apply to Mrs. C. W. Moore, Carstairs.

The Didsbury ladies quartette and several other ladies and gentlemen of Didsbury took part in a concert at the Methodist church in Carstairs on Monday night.

Big Lumber Sale on—all kinds of house furnishings and barn lumber. Apply to Allan Good.

As Christmas Day comes on Friday next week we have to publish the Pioneer earlier in the week so we must have all changes of ads and correspondence in not later than 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

A mistake occurred in E. B. Shantz's harness makers ad. in last week's Pioneer. Sweat gear was advertised at 70c per pair, this should have read 70c per pair, which will continue to be the price.

The annual public School concert will take place in the Didsbury schoolhouse on Wednesday night next. The teachers and children have been working hard the last few weeks for this concert and it promises to be the best ever given.

Mr. Tees, of Winnipeg, was a visitor to town on Wednesday in the interest of the Berliner Gramophone Co., and gave a free musical entertainment in the Presbyterian Church. A Victor Gramophone was used and all present were highly delighted with the sweetness and clearness with which the different numbers were given. Selections from great singers like Melba and Caruso were exquisitely rendered. Arrangements have been made with Mr. L. Curtis, at Williams' old stand, to take orders for these machines and records.

A new musical organization is to be started in Didsbury immediately after the holidays. Mr. E. B. Shantz has made arrangements for organizing a good orchestra composed of the following gentlemen: Messrs. Thompson, Bevan, Nixon, Ed. Weber, and Gertz, violins; Mr. E. B. Shantz, clarinet; Mr. Burly, trombone; the orchestra will also have piano accompaniment. It is expected that the orchestra will give one of the best concerts ever held in Didsbury sometime in February at which the Didsbury and Carstairs orchestras of twenty pieces will be combined and vocalists from both towns will assist. Mr. Shantz would like to have everyone who is interested in music give all the help possible to make the orchestra a success.

Coal for Sale at the Sash & Door Factory, \$6.50 per ton.

Christmas Trees! Christmas Trees! for sale at J. V. Berscht's.

Mr. John Manson and wife left for a three months visit to Scotland on Thursday last.

Messrs. N. B. Good, Lethbridge, and Simon Good, Carbon, were visitors to town this week.

LOST—Brown duck sheep lined coat on Kansas-Didsbury telephone line road about November 20th. Reward will be paid for the return of same to this office or to Wm. Dageforde.

A meeting to consider the railroad interests of the east country was to have been held at Carstairs on Tuesday afternoon but owing to some hitch in arrangements it failed to materialize. Several Didsburians went down to attend the meeting.

The many friends of Miss Dow, formerly of Didsbury but now at Red Deer, will be sorry to learn that she was badly burnt in a fire last week at Red Deer. Latest reports stated that she was getting along as well as could be expected.

For Christmas and New Year Holidays the Canadian Pacific Railway announces a rate of fare and one third for the round trip. Tickets on sale for Christmas December 21, 22, 23 and 25, for New Year December 28, 29, 30 and 31 and January 1, final return on all dates before January 3, 1909.

Fire Wood for sale at the Sash & Door Factory \$3.25 per load, stove length. Delivered.

Some time ago a paragraph appeared in these columns stating that Mr. James Burns of Berlin, Alta., threshed 63 bushels of oats to the acre. This should have been 65 bushels to the acre. His crop averaged all round, wheat, oats and barley, 60 bushels to the acre. He threshed 6,000 bushels of grain.

While in a certain office in town one day this week we came across the following quotation which the defeated and disappointed candidates at the recent municipal elections would do well to ponder, it will help them over their troubles: "Smile awhile and while you smile, another smiles, and soon there's miles of smiles and life's worth while if you but smile."

A pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. J. Good, south of Didsbury, on Wednesday, December 16th, when Miss Mary Good was married to Alvin Traub. There were about forty guests present. The bride received a very large number of handsome and useful presents from her large circle of friends. Rev. H. Gaudie performed the ceremony while Miss Mary Traub acted as bridesmaid and Simon Good was best man.

BIRTH

WOOD—On Wednesday, December 9th, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Wood a son.

MARRIED

GOOD-TRAUB—On Wednesday, December 16th, 1908, Mary Good to Alvin Traub.

UNION BANK

OF CANADA

Capital, Rest and Undivided Profits Exceed.

\$5,000,000

Build up your balance in your **Savings Account**

now—when you are selling the season's crop, or getting the returns from your Dairying. Deposit as much and as often as you can in the Union Bank of Canada, and make your money earn interest.

Then if you need it later on, you can draw what you want without delay or inconvenience.

\$1.00 or upward opens an account.

DIDSBURY BRANCH:
F. N. Ballard, Manager

For Christmas

We have Classy, Clever Gift Goods for every age and condition. They are better than usual and embrace the newest ideas

COME IN AND INSPECT OUR STOCK

NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS

H. W. CHAMBERS
DRUGGIST AND STATIONER



POULTRY THAT PLEASES

the palate and purse is the kind we rely on to make trade. No tough old birds ever find their way into this market. We are pretty good judges of poultry and have many customers who know as much as we do about it. So you

TAKE NO CHANCES

when you deal with us, for we couldn't afford to keep any but the best. Sounds rather blunt, perhaps, but it's the truth without frills. Prices? Well the keener you are at marketing the more you will appreciate the modesty of our demands.

Didsbury Meat Market
N. WEICKER, Prop.

We always keep a **SELECTED & UP-TO-DATE STOCK**—OF—

FURNITURE

to suit every room in the house We have a large stock of **WALLPAPER**

which we are selling very cheap Also a good stock of **LINOLEUMS, SHADES, and CARPETS**

We sell the **NEW SCALE WILLIAMS PIANO SHERLOCK MANNING ORGAN and the ELDRIDGE SEWING MACHINE**

R. Barron DIDSBURY FURNITURE STORE

THE ironing of black goods requires particular care and particular starch—common starch gives a ratty appearance to the fabric and leaves it streaked with white.

Celluloid Starch gives a glossy stiffness and preserves the solid blackness. Use two tablespoons to a quart of cold water and add a little boiling water to clear it. For morning goods, skirts, delicate laces, etc., the results will be excellent.

Write for a large FREE sample. Ask your grocer for

Celluloid Starch
Never Sticks. Requires no Cooking

Do not use on Wool, Linen, Tricel, Cambric.

Slang of the Day.

Friend—Well, folks, did you have an exciting trip in your new auto?
Mr. Rapid—Very. We run down three men, two boys, a baby and two dogs.
Mr. Rapid—Yes, we had a perfectly killing time.—Baltimore American.

In the treatment of summer complaints the most effective remedy that can be used is Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Digestive Cordial. It is a standard in preference to other preparations. It is a highly concentrated medicine and its relative and curative qualities are beyond question. It has been a popular medicine for many years and thousands can attest its superior qualities in overcoming dysentery and kindred complaints.

First man in car—Look here, sir, I got up to give my seat to that lady.

Second man getting down—That's all right, old fellow. She's my wife.—Life.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

For stings or bites of any kind of insect, apply immediately and, bound tightly over the spot. It will relieve and usually cure very quickly.

Repeat it:—Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds.

Mother—My child, you shouldn't believe more than half you hear.
Daughter—I know that, mamma; but how can I tell which half is Boston Transcript.

Beautiful Hair.
The secret of the beautiful hair is to know how to make the most of it, how to coax and coddle it into growing and to arrange it to the best possible advantage, says the New York Press.

It is the natural frame for the face, and whether or not this frame is becoming remains with the woman herself.

It is wonderful what terrible things a woman can do with her own head.

Curls are set in crooked, lead in many cases a head of hair looks more like a bird's nest than a coiffure.

To have pretty hair you first of all must have clean hair.

This means that you should shampoo it every two weeks.

The hair catches even more dust than the face.

To Remove Furniture Dents.
To remove furniture dents wet the spot with warm water. Soak in warm water a piece of heavy brown paper, double it about four times, lay it over the dent and press with a hot iron. Leave the iron on the paper until all moisture is absorbed. If the dent is not then removed, repeat the process.

Weight of a Lion.
What does a lion weigh? Those who know the look of the king of beasts best and how small his little body really is will probably come farthest from the truth. About 250 to 250 pounds is a usual estimate, but a full grown lion will tip the scales at no less than 500 pounds. Five hundred and forty pounds is the record for an African lion. His bone is solid and heavy as ivory. The tiger runs the lion very close. A Bengal tiger killed by an English officer weighed 250 pounds. A tiger this size has, however, considerably more muscular strength than the biggest lion.

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HE WAS MISTAKEN.

The Young Army Officer Was Not a Coward After All.
At the battle of Sautaugas a surgeon going to the front came upon a young officer sitting beside the road, trembling like a leaf and whither than the dead men around him. At sight of the surgeon he began to talk.

"I'm a coward," he said. "I'm a coward," he said. "I knew I'd run, and I did. O Lord, I wish you'd kill me. I'm disgraced forever. I just got scared. I knew I would. I was going along all right, not thinking of anything but getting at the dashed Spaniards, yelling at my men to come on and running ahead as fast as I could, when all of a sudden I stumbled my toe or something, and then I can't remember being scared, but I must have been, for I came galloping back here sick as a dog. Oh, I feel so awfully poor! I'm a blanked coward, and I wish I was dead. O Lord, why doesn't somebody shoot me? I've got such an awful goodness right here." And he put his hand to his stomach. The surgeon gave him a quick look and caught him as he landed forward in a faint. Where the awful goodness was a Mauser bullet had found its billet. They carried the wounded man to the field hospital, and he was chucked all the way.

"Oh, my! Oh, my!" he said over and over. "I wasn't scared! I wasn't scared!" and then he would laugh delightedly. "I wasn't scared! I was hit! I was just hit! I ain't a coward after all!"

Preferred the Money.
"Yes," said M'Amber, the artist, patronizingly. "I'm selling my canvases now at my own prices."
"Yes," exclaimed the young art student, "you don't say so?"
"Yes, I suppose you'd give a great deal to be a great artist too?"
"No, indeed, I'd rather be you."—Pittsburg Star.

Trial Is Inexpensive.—To those who suffer from indigestion, flatulence, or any ailment arising from derangement of the digestive system, a trial of Parnell's Vegetable Pills is recommended, should the sufferer be unacquainted with this medicine, the action of which can be so easily obtained. The pills and the result will be another customer for this excellent medicine. So effective is the action that many cases can certainly be traced to their cure where other pills have proved ineffective.

A satisfactory floor covering, particularly for children's rooms is a plain carpet, with a few washable rugs in tints to match the walls and draperies.

Salada.
Of what value is your opinion of it, if you have not tried "Salada"?

Let us make the best of our friends, who have them, for how long we shall keep them is uncertain.

Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many are born with them. Spare them suffering by using Mother's Worm Expeller, the best remedy of the kind that can be had.

When the moon goes up the wall the course of bricks which he laid yesterday are the foundation on which he is having his house raised today. All things you do today on the structure which you are building will remain as a part of the foundation for tomorrow. H. W. Beecher.

A Well-Known Man.

Minard's Liniment Co. Limited.
Dear Sirs:—I can recommend your MINARD'S LINIMENT for Rheumatism and Sprains, as I have used it for both with excellent results.
Yours truly,
T. B. LAVERS,
St. John.

Repeat it:—Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds.

Passing of Old Brussels.
It is disappearing, our old Brussels. They are passing away, the buildings which bear witness to an artistic past, the good houses which spoke in intimate whispers to the heart of the sons of the good city, so picturesque and particular. Intrusive cosmopolitanism dictates the law to the stupid pickaxes, and the officials of the public demolition department assist unmoved in the work of devastation.—Brussels Petit Bleu.

Macedon.
One of the most curious of all known phosphorescent larvae is found in British Guiana, near the Brazilian border, where it is known to the natives by the name of macedon.

The Oldest Map.
E. K. Taylor in his "Early History of Manitoba" says that the oldest map known to be in existence is that of an Ethiopian gold mines, dating from the time of Setes I, the father of Hammes II, long before the time of the bronze tablet of Anaxagoras of Greece.

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FICTION AND FACT.

Dreams of Authors That Have Been Fulfilled.

The deliver among old books often finds, says the Berlin Umschau, prophecies made by writers which in their day were nothing but romance. This can be so easily obtained by reading the works of Jules Verne, and there are also books in which utopias, the telephone, photography, and the motor car have been spoken of generations before they were accomplished facts. A novel entitled "Der Kugel Mann," published by Von & Co., Leipzig, 1785, by an author named Cramer shows a Roentgen picture. The story tells of the Countess Altiliana, who gave her heart to a knight, Gibeles, the knightly lover was thoughtless enough, however, to kill his ladylove's father, and her affection turned to hatred, and she vowed to kill him. In a dream she saw the man who had fascinated her, and she started to do this. She suddenly his form changed, and before her stood a grinning skeleton, saying, "I have already been punished." This scene is illustrated in the old book, and a picture is not unlike a Roentgen photograph, but when it was published no one probably would have believed that science within a comparatively short time would make it possible to produce this picture, which the author's imagination invented.

Katrina's Love Letters.
The Basutos prove an interesting study. Not that they have any depths of character, but there is a very happy go lucky nature. These South Africans are romantic and sentimental, but it's all on the surface, and for a few minutes' pleasure from Katrina's love letters:

"My sweet flowers, the ink and the paper are very odd, because they will see your dear, beautiful face, but the pen and me are truly sad, for we are staying behind!"

"My love for you is burning like a paraffin stove!"
"Oh, you are so beautiful! You look like a peacock sitting under a willow tree!"

"My love for you is as true as a clock that keeps the time!"

A Little Case of Telepathy.
"There is nothing strange to me in the operation of one mind upon another," the telepathic said. "Once when my sister I am very fond of is operated on I went with her and sat in the afternoon a long way off from the operation room, but I walked up by about her, when all at once I threw myself into a big armchair and went sound asleep. They had just given her the ether, then, so her mind was at rest and rested mine. I slept until she came out from under the influence."

Lucky Will.
Amateur Actor who has just concluded a performance of the part of Hamlet, to a friend who has been out of the audience—Well, old fellow, don't you feel inclined to congratulate some one?

Friend—Indeed, I do.
Amateur (with vainglorious mien)—May I so far intrude on modesty as to ask his name?

Friend—Certainly. His name is Shakespeare, and I heartily congratulate him on his unavailing absence.

More Darkness.
"I'm all in the dark about how these bills are to be paid," said Mr. Hardup to his wife.

"Well, Henry," said she as she pulled out a colored one and laid it on the pile, "you're the one who just given her that one, for it's the gas bill."

BOUNDARY BATING.

Old Customs at Eating Include "Bumping" the Vicar.

The town of Ealing, Eng., recently revealed in the old custom of "bumping the vicar." The ceremony had been in abeyance for five years, and though the latest celebration passed off without anything more serious than the election of a very lenient vicar, the pantomime proceedings are scarcely likely to be repeated. The party was headed by the vestry clerk and the vicar, with members of the corporation and a contingent of boys from two of the schools. For a part of the journey a crowd of women and babies and school children with bare feet and tattered clothing followed.

This crowd cheered wildly as the vicar was soundly "bumped" upon the first boundary stone in Ealing road south. Then the party, with their long sticks—which the boys were more suggestive of a fishing expedition than the old "black Maria," which is always brought into requisition on these occasions, and another vicar, and proceeded along to the Brentford boundary to the orchards and gardens abutting on Boston line.

In the Uxbridge road trains were held up while the crowd witnessed the bumping of the vicar, and when one of the assembly indignantly inquired why the boys were being subjected to conveyance, the vicar himself was told that it was to impress the location of the boundaries upon their memories.

Beyond His Aid.

A woman who had a telephone in her apartment called up the telephone company and asked that the service be discontinued. The operator, using six boxes, was tried to be exceedingly polite.

"We are sorry to lose you," he said. "Are you dissatisfied with anything?"
"I am," said the woman emphatically.
"I am very sorry," said the man. "Perhaps we can help you. What is it you do not like?"
"Single blessedness," said the woman. "I am going to be married tomorrow."

"Ah," said the polite clerk, "you are not our aid. Goodbye."

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

The rule of self-abolition to the right will bring all things into order. Gladstone.

Repeat it:—Shiloh's Cure will always cure my coughs and colds.

For the cure of dandruff, behind the ear, after often proves of immense benefit.

These Pills Cure Rheumatism.
To the many who suffer from rheumatism, a trial of Parnell's Vegetable Pills is recommended. They have powerful action upon the liver and kidneys and by regulating the action of these organs set on an alternative in preventing the admixture of uric acid and blood that causes this painful disorder. They must be taken according to directions and used steadily and they will speedily give evidence of their beneficial effects.

The Boston boy baby contemptuously rejected the alphabet blocks that some misguided western relative had sent him as a present. "Of all the intellectual diversions," he declared, "playing on words is absolutely and unquestionably the most trivial."—Chicago Tribune.

Eating Carelessly

Frequently causes stomach troubles, but careful eating will never right them. When your stomach is out of condition, needs help that no food can supply. It must be thoroughly cleaned, settled and strengthened. Food never does this.

BEECHAM'S PILLS

are the greatest stomach medicine human skill ever compounded. Don't attempt to cure your stomach by dieting. You will starve and get little benefit. Give Beecham's Pills a chance and you will know the pleasures of a sound digestion. Appetite will return and the stomach again work with your comfort. The skin will clear, the face plump out, while people will remark "How well you're looking." These are facts, not fables. Try them yourself.

Prepared only by Thomas Beecham, Ltd., Helms, Lancashire, England.

Sold by all Druggists in Canada and U. S. America. In boxes 28 cents.

ALWAYS, EVERYWHERE IN CANADA, ASK FOR BEECHAM'S PILLS

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XMAS IS ALMOST HERE!

And Here Are A Few Lines Suitable for

Christmas Presents

Ladies nice natty Collars Ladies nice handkerchiefs
" " Auto Veils " " Fur collars

Gents Ties, a Very Large Range. (One in a box.)

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FANCY CHINA AT ALL PRICES

One Pound of Tea Put Up In Fancy Tea Pots

A LARGE VARIETY OF CANDY. LOTS OF NICE
NEW NUTS!

Our Raisins, Currants and Peels are A.I. Fresh
Lemon, Orange and Citron Peels.

If you are looking for anyone take a look in and you will
likely find them here.

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H. E. OSMOND, EDITOR.

Vote For The By-laws

A good healthy discussion is taking
place amongst the ratepayers who take
enough interest in town affairs as to
whether it is advisable to pass the by-
laws put before them by the town
Council and advertised in other col-
umns of this paper. These by-laws
should be read thoroughly and also
thoroughly discussed, so that those
who are interested in the progress of
the town will have a good grasp of
what they mean, when they vote on
them next Monday.

Our opinion is that both by-laws
should pass, and we will give our rea-
sons. First, we have to have some
method of fire protection, and we think
that the chemical engines are the best
we can afford at present, so that if the
by-law covering this is defeated it means
that they will have to be purchased
out of the current year's taxes in-
stead of paying for them by delinquent
and the ones who come after us leaving
the share of such fire protection.
Next, we have to have some place to
keep these engines, which have to be
kept warm in winter. Now we are at
present paying something like \$2 a
year for Council chamber and location
which will be raised at the beginning
of the year. A building which means
more of the people's money ex-
pended without anything to show for it.
In the future a reading and library
room will be needed which means more
money for rent unless a building is pro-
vided.

The other delinquent by-law for street
lighting and improvements is also one
we think should pass. The Council at
the beginning of the present year, after
the fatal accident, decided to improve
throughout the town by lighting the
streets to remedy this matter, but the
financial stringency coming at the time
it did delayed matters, so that we are
in the same position now as then. The
sample of lamp which has been on ex-
hibition for some time is a good one,
and a few of them placed around town
at the places where they are most needed
will perhaps save the town some
hundreds of dollars for damages. The
street improvements if carried out will
overcome the necessity of expend-
ing a large sum every year out of the
current year's taxes for these improve-
ments, and if they are done at once it
will cost very little to keep up repairs.
The whole question is whether we
want to pay for these improvements at
once, or whether those who come after
us should have to pay, as there is no
question but what we want them.

It has been suggested that as far as
the fire bill is concerned that the mat-
ter should be left over for a year or two
and then put up a bigger and better
building. We do not think this is a
good policy. The Council are asking
for \$1,500 which should erect a build-
ing good enough for Didsbury's needs
for some years to come without going
to a heavy expense in putting up a big
building in a year or two.

Looking at the expense account, if
these by-laws pass, we find that only
\$500.20 will be needed to pay both in-
terest and principal on delinquents,
which is offset by the money which will
be saved from rent and the little re-
venue which can be derived from rent-
ing any part of the building to outside
corporations for meetings will be to the
good. We are also informed that if
the by-laws pass there is a good chance
of the town taxes being lowered to 6
mills next year, while if matters stay
as they are at present it is not likely
that the tax rate can be lower than 8
mills because current expenditures will
be as heavy as in the past.

School Report for Novem- ber

Number days school in session	18
Enrollment for the month	132
Possible aggregate attendance for the month	2376
Actual aggregate attendance for the month	2168.5
Average daily attendance for the month	120.42
Percentage of attendance for the month	91.31

The following reports show the relative standing of the pupils in the several grades.

Standard VII—Mildred Moore, Levi Rupp, (unclassified) Alberta Weart.

Standard VI—Lorne Good, Alpheus Weber, Eva Seasmith, Lily Rupp, (unclassified) Martha Day.

Standard V—Hazel Good, Lavina Hilson, (Helen Shantz and Harold Wigand, equal) Dolly Stark, Loreta Reiter, Beatrice Liesemer, Herbie Liesemer, Olive Mowers, Wilfred Shantz, Mildred Moore, equal Timmer, Mertha Hilbert, Peter Wood, Sanford Reiter, Edgar Clemons, Esther Sanderman, Hattie Stauffer Kitty Seib, Seville Rupp, (unclassified) Pearl Doherty, Bertha Meyer.

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Junior III—W. Mowers, E. Weber, H. Clemons C. Sinder, E. Nixon, L. Baptist, B. Moyle, equal A. Emory.

Senior III—L. Liesemer, M. Osmond, L. Newson, W. Mueller, C. Sinder, J. Rupp, P. Dick.

Junior II—R. Newson, V. Wood, V. Sherrick, E. Steekley, W. Newhall, L. Cornford, P. Weber, L. Hansberger, G. Gertz, M. Dick, H. Hilson, W. Gertz, L. Lemley, M. Hambers, M. Weber, P. Mowers, T. Emory, H. Bates, P. Osmond.

Post II—Seville Wigand, Rita McKee, Harold Reiter, Florence Reiter, Oscar Rupp, Bertha Clemons, equal Austin Bos-Holmberg, Irene Helman, equal Clarence Reiter, Marie Mowers, Albin Patterson, Andy Peck.

Senior I—Marjorie Atkins, Bonnie Hart, Harry Atkins, Nella Helman.

Intermediate I—Albin Ely, Arnold Liesemer, Roger Cornford, Martin Reiter, Oscar Gertz, Alvin Good, Florence Phillips, Averill Kyeclman, Clarence Humbling, Belle Hart, Mobile Cooper, Leslie Reiter, Kitchener Newson.

Primary I—Fanny McIntyre, Netha Dick, Maggie Seasmith, Anna Gault, Nellie Mowers, Alena Thiel, Stella Patterson, Waverly Patterson, Melvin Stauffer.

L.I.D. 16-B-5

The Councilors of the L.I.D. No. 16-B-5 met at Zella School house on December 31th. Councilors all present.

Moved by H. Murdoch seconded by A. McLean, that Alex Ross be paid the sum of \$41.15 the use of Zella Schoolhouse. Passed.

Moved by Wm. Gilmore seconded by Wm. McIntyre, that the Alberta Culvert Company be paid the sum of \$32.00 for Township 32-3 and Township 31-3 W-5. Passed.

Moved by F. Murdoch seconded by Murdoch McArthur, that the following bills be paid.

M. Otterline, 179 ft. at \$16 per M. \$2.86. M. Otterline, 680 ft. at \$16 per M. \$10.88. F. McKencher, to 6 2 6 14 ft long 8 1/2 feet, \$1.85. J. Berscht, 445 feet at \$20 per M. 4 posts 100, 400, 38 9/11. J. Manson, 2 1/2 feet of lumber, \$4.30, 6 in. spikes \$1.00.

Moved by Wm. McIntyre seconded by Wm. G. Gilmore, that the following bills be paid on the pay lists. Passed.

Moved by Thomas McRae seconded by Wm. Gilmore, that the Councilors of L.I.D. District No. 16-B-5 appoint their returning officers for the coming elections for the year 1920.

Division 1, W. O'Donnell
" 2, G. Honegood
" 3, J. Johansson
" 4, John Jensen
" 5, E. Wheatcroft
" 6, J. Bolton

Moved by Wm. McIntyre seconded by Thomas McRae, that the Councilors be paid their fees and committee work T-35 four days committee work and travelling 40 miles. Passed. Division 1, fees \$3.00. Division 2, \$1.00. Division 3, \$2.85. Division 4, \$1.75. Division 5, \$3.20. Division 6, \$1.00.

Moved by Wm. G. Gilmore, seconded by Wm. McIntyre, that this council adjourn to meet at the call of the Secretary-Treasurer.

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The Health of the King



"HURRAH! hurrah! Long live the king!" the people gaily cry—
Don Guzman, ruler of Castle, is really passing by;
Outdoors they flock; men, women, dogs and children all outpour.
To gaze upon the splendor of their royal visitor;
While slowly and with dignity moves, toward the old town hall,
The cortege of his majesty, flanked by outriders tall.

Before this unpresuming pile the carriage comes to rest;
Arrives the mayor speedily to rend his welcome best;
With lowest bow and phrase polite, he makes his gallant speech—
Such grand effects masters of language strain in vain to reach;
And smilingly the king responds, and kindly does he nod;
In manner pleased he beams on all and waves his golden rod.

From Sailor Boy to Cannibal Chief

N vain the British ship "Nancy" struggled against the tempest. The waves at last engulfed her, and her sailors, departing from her, struggled desperately with the angry sea.

But the small boats could no more hope to weather the storm than could the ship. Within a few moments these, too, were capsized, and the men were pitched into the water. All of them perished, with the exception of a sailor boy, named Bob.

DISGUISED AS A NATIVE

"I shan't starve for a little time, at least," said he.

However, one can't live very luxuriously upon chocolate, so Bob was glad, indeed, when his raft floated into a cove where the water was quiet, and he was finally able to clamber out upon a shelving beach.

Prisky followed close behind, as Bob, with the box of chocolate under his arm, started on a tour of exploration. All at once he saw something which caused him to do so hastily behind a palm nearly.

"Savages," he muttered. "Instead of obtaining food, as I thought I would, I'm more likely to be used as food myself, especially as I heard the hoarse cry that cannibals live on the islands hereabouts. Wonder what I can do."

At last he hit upon a plan. Taking some of the chocolate which, under the hot rays of a tropical sun, was in a melting condition, he smeared it over his face. After he had carefully rubbed for a while, you would have thought he was a native himself. He also stuck upon his head a few palm leaves, in

place of a feather headdress. Then he dressed Prisky in his coat and put the sailor cap upon the dog's head. Stepping from behind the palm tree, Bob now led Prisky boldly toward the cannibal chief.

"Skaydooleefoo!" said Bob, gravely saluting the chief. "Kyooid-jumdoolee!" cordially responded the cannibal.

Thereupon Bob put Prisky through a number of clever tricks, learned on shipboard. The chief, amazed at these



ACCOSTS THE CHIEF

astounding feats, bowed respectfully to Bob and led him to the rest of the tribe, Bob, taking Prisky in his arms, bowed with dignity to each member of the band.

But Prisky, who had smelled the chocolate, could not refrain from suddenly licking Bob's face. To the great surprise of the natives, the beautiful bronze complexion of their visitor disappeared, and it became white.

"Tis a god! 'Tis a god!" they cried, prostrating themselves before the lad. And the chief immediately renounced leadership of the tribe, insisting that this wonderful god honor the tribe by governing it.

Bob accepted this honor, and reigned until a British vessel anchored nearby. A few years later, owing to the grief of the members of the tribe, he departed them, announcing his intention

Meantime, enthusiasm great is filling each man's breast;
The good men quick detach the mules, to show unto their guest
How they esteem and honor him, for they themselves would pull
His chariot upon its way, with cheers resounding full;
So when the journey's recommenced they draw upon the traces,
Resolved to prove they know a thing or two about fine faces.

Yet they forgot the chariot emblazoned has much weight,
And as they dash about the street, it grieves me to relate,
They cannot turn where they SHOULD turn; the carriage down a bank—
Does run into the river, where the water's cool and dank;
Rises the king; "The custom is to drink to hosts," says he,
"But how I'll ever drain this river dry I cannot see!"

of presenting the island to the king of England.
"Tis a risky sort of honor—the disgrace of a crowd of cannibals," he exclaimed to the captain of the vessel, "and I don't know how soon they might take it into their heads to see exactly how a god would taste when made into a nice stew."

Camphor on Water

FILL a small basin with hot water, and throw upon its surface a few fragments of camphor. They will instantly acquire a rotary and progressive motion, which will continue for some minutes. Before the motion ceases drop on to the surface a little oil of turpentine. The floating particles will quickly dart away as if by magic, and will become almost stationary. From a very thin sheet of tin, cut out and shape a little boat. The mast may be made from a splinter from a wooden match. From the stem of the boat a triangular piece must be cut so that a fragment of camphor can be placed on the two ends, allowing contact of the camphor with the water. This will be sufficient to give power to operate the boat.

Simple Magic

PLACE a coin between your teeth. Then have some one tie your hands behind your back. Now say that you can grasp the coin in your hands without untying the cord that binds them. Simply drop the coin from your mouth upon a few cents, then walk backward close up to the chair, so that you may pick up the piece of money with your hands.

No Danger.

Mrs. Johnson (to her son)—Tommy, you mustn't go fishing with Peter West, he's just getting over his Tommy-There won't be any danger, mother, never catch anything when I'm fishing.

Had Given It Away

LUCILLE's mother had taken her for an outing in the Luskensburg district. As the boat approached the luncheon had arrived, she called to the little girl:

"Lucille, we will now have a little roll and some chocolate, and you shall pay with the two sou's I gave you last week."

"Oh, mamma, cried Lucille, 'I have already given the two sou's away to the poor old woman.' 'I am so glad you have bestowed of the money in such a charitable way, how did you happen to present it to the old woman?' asked the mother. 'Well, you see, I gave it to her in payment for two nice apples.' Confessed Lucille.

Got Even

LITTLE older a little fellow walked into a meat shop and asked the butcher for a sheep's head.

"Sorry, my boy," said the man, "but the only head I have in the shop just now is this one of mine."

"No, no, no," replied the boy, "decidedly 'I want one with brains!'"

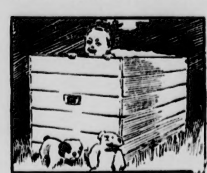
Baby's Playroom

WHAT a funny place to put Baby! every one would exclaim, as they entered the nursery.

Truly, it did seem a queer place, for it was nothing more than a great big box. Yet Baby seemed perfectly happy. Indeed, it was Baby's wish that he be allowed to stay in the box.

You see, during the summer Baby longed to be out of Coors all the time. But mother was so afraid he would wander and get lost that she thought of some plan whereby he could be out among the trees and still be safe. That is how Baby came to have the big box for a playhouse.

Very comfy he found it, too. Out in the orchard it was placed, and Baby was carefully lifted into it. Dolly liked to



HIS SUMMER PLAYROOM

stay there, as well. Once, however, when Dolly was sitting on the edge of the box, she carelessly fell. And she broke her nose, so that she was very much ashamed of herself until it was mended. Then little dog Toby was another playmate. Only he had such funny ideas! When he was inside the box he always wanted to get outside. He would jump down to the ground, even though it was a mighty big jump for a little dog. And then he would bark and bark to get back again. But as Baby couldn't possibly climb out to get him, they have to stay. Serve him right, too!

When summer was over, somehow Baby didn't like to be parted from his box. Therefore it was set up in its nursery, although there was no occasion for its use now. Surely Baby couldn't get lost there! I suppose, however, that Baby likes to play that it's still summer, or, maybe, he thinks he'll have a hot summer by staying in his box playroom.

SKINNY'S DISCOVERY



"A PILE OF ROCKS, MOSSGROWN AND COVERED WITH FERNS"

YOU can't tell me the swimmer's "curious" that made them disappear. "Prater," so mighty scarce of late," contested Captain Billy, stubbornly. "I say it's because they've got a new hide-a-place, and they've been holed!" close an secret as we won't find it out."

Lieutenant Skinny whistled his ears thoughtfully. Skinny was a funny fellow; he could twist his scalp, his eyebrows and his ears most any way he pleased; he could put his fingers in all sorts of positions, "cause he was deathly joined, and he'd had his appendix cut out—all of which made him a little bit of a doctor. When the wiggling had ceased, showing that Skinny had thereabouts weighed the matter, there came the words:

"I don't know but what you're right, Billy. Well, all we got to do is to come out their den, but as we did at Prater Cove," and every other place they've ever had."

"We'll find 'em all right," chorused Jack Warner and Joe Stanton. The other bandits nodded their approval.

"Then see here, fellows," announced Captain Billy Mumford, brandishing his fist impressively in the air, "everybody! Rubber! must be honest in all forevermore do his swiftest! let us find where these skulking 'Praters' keep their themselves. Let us to our work, men!"

Billy had borrowed "let us to our work" from Bill Kent, but, although he sounded mighty fine, it didn't cause any of the "Rubbers" to quicken their pace toward the schoolhouse, where the "work" awaited them.

There was no "meeting or anything" after school, therefore, Skinny sought to forget his tribulations in school, and day by day taking a stroll in the woods. He

arrived "Pete Brown's" barn, cut across Rocky Lot, and did a hand skinned at the fence that lay outside

"Soon he was cooling himself beneath his hot tree," he said, "and, in the meantime, he made his way through underbrush and the low frequent parts of the woods, where the boys rarely went,

except on "berryin'" expeditions. Skinny stopped to divide a piece of bark from a stump nearby, in order that he might try the marksmanship on a noisy woodpecker, when a snake coiled in his arms that made him dodge quickly behind a tree. Captain Mike Plasterman of the "Praters" had a voice that could be recognized anywhere, and if that wasn't Mike talking Skinny decided that it would cut it in new straw hat, belt and all.

Through careful investigation, Skinny discovered that the sound had come from an immense pile of rocks, moss-grown and covered with ferns and undergrowth. He had learned enough, however, to know that he would find his way out of the wood, and went flying down the road.

"We'll find 'em," was itching horseshoes with Bill Brandt when Skinny arrived, winded and excited. You may know that his nose was revived with interest in fact, with so much interest that the whole band of "Rubbers" were quickly summoned to Warner's barn, where, after animated conversation, Captain Billy issued these final instructions:

"Tomorrow, when all them 'Praters' is away at their baseball game, I want every 'Rubber' to report at the stone-crate by the woods—and then there'll be something 'do'."

"There really was 'something do'." In a half hour, the "Praters" proceeded to the stone pile in the woods. They found a vast cavern had been hollowed, where the boys came to get their evening's occupation. It did not take long to completely demolish the den, after which the "Rubbers" came away joyful, for they had had some good day's work.

But the "Praters" weren't so joyful when they learned of the destruction of their secret cave. For did they appreciate the labor of their rivals, if only for revenge were they hated by the "Rubbers" as Captain Billy definitely remarked: "It was a bad day for 'em, any of 'em."

Mysterious Pocket-Money

WHAT'S the use of being so cautious? Summer vacation will be here before you're half ready for it. I don't see how a fellow could be so crazy over his 'cage' anyway.

A peculiar smile appeared on Ned's face. He knew Dick was afraid that under little's eggs were left alone and the money earned the two would be unable to bear my share of the expense of the trip.

"How are your rabbits selling?" asked Ned. "Oh, I'm making sales of money," Dick replied. "Say, old chap, you'll have to hustle."

The other smiled and gave as he said: "Don't worry about me. I'll be ready to bear my share of the expense of the trip."

Dick shook his head doubtfully, but he said nothing further, nor did he again mention the subject.

At last came the time for their outing. Dick had purchased all the equipment, and provisions, and he was now invited by brother to accompany him to the ship, dealer's office, where final arrangements regarding the buying of a canoe were to be made. They had selected a desirable

canoe on a former visit.

For some reason Dick looked perturbed. However, he did not reveal the cause for his unwelcome silence, and soon the two were enthusiastically examining the canoe.

"But now, Mr. Grim," said Dick, "we will pay you."

"Pay me? Why, your brother has already settled the bill," returned the skiffing boy. "I sent all the time hunting on the ground for plovers' eggs, and so skiffing did I become in finding large numbers of them. Each one brought me six shillings in town. It was only because I wished to surprise you that I paid for the canoe in advance."

"But really," Dick exclaimed, "the brother, teaching," selling plovers' eggs is much more profitable than raising rabbits, even if it is a crazy pastime."

BACK AGAIN!

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OLD BUSINESS

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By-law No. 52

A by-law to authorize the Town of Didsbury to provide for fire protection including the purchase of chemical fire engines, and the erection of a town building for the accommodation of the same, the said building to contain space for a Council chamber, public library and reading room and for other municipal purposes and to create a debt of \$4500 for the said purpose by the issuing of debentures for the said amount and to levy yearly rates for the repayment thereof.

WHEREAS it is advisable that the Town of Didsbury should provide for fire protection, including the purchase of chemical engines and the erection of a town building for the accommodation of the same, the said building to contain space for a Council chamber, public library and reading room and for other municipal purposes,

AND WHEREAS, in order thereto, it will be necessary to issue debentures of the Town of Didsbury for the sum of \$4500 as hereinafter provided (being the debt intended to be created by this by-law) the proceeds of the said debentures to be applied to the purpose aforesaid and to no other.

AND WHEREAS it is desirable to issue the said debentures at one time and to make the principal of the said debt repayable by yearly sums being of such respective amounts that the aggregate amount payable in each year for principal and interest in respect of such debt shall be equal to the amount so payable in each of the other nineteen years.

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable property of the said Town of Didsbury, according to the last revised assessment roll is \$539,445

AND WHEREAS the total amount of the existing debt of the municipality, outside of the debt due for the current expenses of the year is \$688.83.

AND WHEREAS it is advisable that this by-law should take effect on the 1st day of January, A.D. 1909.

THEREFORE the Mayor and Council of the town of Didsbury in Council assembled enact as follows:

(1) The Municipal council of the said Town of Didsbury are hereby authorized to provide for fire protection including the purchase of chemical fire engines and the erection of a town building for the accommodation of the same, the said building to contain space for a Council chamber, public library and reading room and for other municipal purposes and to create a debt of \$4500 for the said purpose by issuing debentures of the said Town.

(2) Debentures of the said Town to the amount of \$4500 as aforesaid in sums not less than \$100 each shall be issued on the 1st day of January, A.D. 1909, each of which debentures shall be dated on the date of issue thereof, and shall be payable within twenty years thereafter with interest at the rate of five and one half per cent per annum in such manner that the aggregate amount payable in each year for principal and interest in respect of such debt shall be equal to the amount paid in each of the other nineteen years.

(3) There shall be attached to each of the said debentures coupons for the payment of the sums payable annually as aforesaid in respect of each of the said debentures.

(4) Each of the said debentures and coupons attached thereto shall be signed by the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Didsbury and each of the said debentures shall be sealed with the corporate seal of the said Town.

(4) The said debentures and coupons shall be payable in Canadian Currency at the office of the Union Bank of Canada at Didsbury, Alberta.

(6) During the currency of the said debentures there shall be raised annually by special rate on all the rateable property in the said Town of Didsbury the sum of \$376.65 for the purpose of paying the amount due in each of the said years for principal and interest in respect of the said debt.

(7) This by-law shall take effect on the 1st day of January, A.D. 1909.

(8) This by-law shall be submitted to the electors of the said Town of Didsbury, qualified to vote thereon and for the purpose of taking the votes of such electors thereon a Poll shall be held at the following time and place namely: On Monday the 21st day of December, A.D. 1908, beginning at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon and continuing till the hour of five o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, at the Council Chamber, Osler Street, Didsbury, Alberta, and for this purpose the returning officer shall be the Secretary-Treasurer of the said Town of Didsbury.

(9) On Monday the 21st day of December, A.D. 1908, the Secretary-Treasurer of the said Town of Didsbury shall attend at the Council Chamber aforesaid at the hour of five o'clock for the purpose of summing up the number of votes given respectively for and against the by-law and of declaring the result of the Poll.

Done and passed in Council at Didsbury in the Province of Alberta, this day of 1908.

Take notice that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed by-law which will be taken into consideration by the Council of the town of Didsbury after being voted on by the electors, and that the date of the first publication of said by-law is December 11th, 1908, and the election for taking the votes of electors thereon will be held on Monday the 21st day of December, 1908 from nine a.m. to five p.m. at the Council Chamber, Osler Street, Didsbury.

NOAH E. EBY
Secretary-Treasurer
of the Town of Didsbury.

By-law No. 54

A by-law to authorize the Town of Didsbury to issue debentures for the sum of \$1500 for the improvement and lighting of streets within the said town and to levy yearly rates for the repayment thereof.

WHEREAS it is advisable that the Town of Didsbury should provide for streetlighting and street improvements.

AND WHEREAS, in order thereto, it will be necessary to issue debentures of the Town of Didsbury for the sum of \$1500 as hereinafter provided (being

the debt intended to be created by this by-law) the proceeds of the said debentures to be applied to this purpose aforesaid and to no other.

AND WHEREAS it is desirable to issue the said debentures at one time and to make the principal of the said debt repayable by yearly sums being of such respective amounts that the aggregate amount payable in each year for principal and interest in respect of such debt shall be equal to the amount so payable in each of the other nineteen years.

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THEREFORE the Mayor and Council of the Town of Didsbury in Council assembled enact as follows:

(1) The Municipal Council of the Town of Didsbury are hereby authorized to provide for street lighting and street improvements and to create a debt of \$1500 for the said purpose by issuing debentures of the said town.

(2) Debentures of the said Town to the amount of \$1500 as aforesaid in sums not less than \$100 each shall be issued on the 1st day of January, A.D. 1909, each of which debentures shall be dated on the date of the issue thereof, and shall be payable within twenty years thereafter with interest at the rate of five and one half per cent per annum in such manner that the aggregate amount payable in each year for principal and interest in respect of such debt shall be equal to the amount so paid in each of the other nineteen years.

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(5) The said debentures and coupons shall be payable in Canadian Currency at the office of the Union Bank of Canada at Didsbury, Alberta.

(6) During the currency of the said debentures there shall be raised annually by special rate on all the rateable property in the said Town of Didsbury the sum of \$125.55 for the purpose of paying the amount due in each of the said years for principal and interest in respect of the said debt.

(7) This by-law shall take effect on the 1st day of January, A.D. 1909.

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